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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Toshiharu Yanagida ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 09792909-1298
SERIAL NO.: 09/385,959 GROUP ART UNIT: 2827
FILED: August 30, 1999 EXAMINER: D. Graybill
FOR: "SEMICONDUCTOR APPARATUS AND PROCESS OF PRODUCTION THEREOF"

AMENDMENT "C"

Hon. Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington D.C. 20231
SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional claim fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED							
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS			() X 9.00 (X) X 18.00	0.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS			() X 42.00 (X) X 84.00	0.00	
Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for.				() YES () NO	() \$140.00 () \$280.00 ONE TIME		
			TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT		\$0.00		

* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5

** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20 write "20" in this space.

- Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend this time for response to the Office Action dated _____ for ____ month(s) so that the period for response is extended to ____.
- The Commissioner is requested and authorized to charge the amount of \$____ for the extension fee to American Express Account No. 378571697401002 to cover the required fee. Form 2038 is attached for that purpose.
- A check for \$____ accompanying attached Terminal Disclaimer under 37 C.F.R. §1.321.
- A check for \$____ and Petition
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 19-3140. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

When phoning re this application, please call 312/876-8000 - Ext. 2606.

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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AMENDMENT "C"

APPLICANT(S):	Tohisharu Yanagida	OLD DOCKET NO.: P99,1318
SERIAL NO.:	09/385,959	NEW DOCKET NO.: 09792909-4298
DATE FILED:	August 30, 1999	GROUP ART UNIT: 2827
INVENTION:	"SEMICONDUCTOR APPARATUS AND PROCESS OF PRODUCTION THEREOF"	

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

SIR:

This Amendment "C" is filed in response to the Office Action of November 8, 2002. Please reconsider the application in view of the amendment and remarks presented below.

This amendment is presented in the new amendment format, accordingly the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121(c) shall be waived by the USPTO.

Please amend claims 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 as shown in the attached summary of the claims. Please cancel claims 22- 24.